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Stony Plain's Sports Day.

A meeting of the Stony Plain Sports Day Association was held in the town hall Friday, May 27th, at which Mr. George Oppertshauer was elected President; Mr. W. E. H. Lewis as Treasurer; Mr. Paul Comisarow as Secretary, succeeding Mr. Alf Enders. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

A motion was made and carried, that the financial report be tabled until the return of the former secretary, Mr. Alfred Enders.

A hearty vote of thanks was given Mr. Geo. Oppertshauer for the splendid work he has accomplished since taking office.

The nominating of members of the various committees was then proceeded with; a list of which will be seen in another column.

It was decided to engage the Boys' Band of Edmonton, at a cost of \$50. This band played here the last Sports Day.

The price for admission to the grounds was the cause of considerable discussion, some advocating a raise in price to 25c and 10c. Mr. Yeats, who has been on the gate committee since the start, advised against raising the admission price, and gave his reasons. On a vote being taken, the motion to raise the price did not carry.

The matter of free admissions to players in the ball contests was next discussed, when it was decided that the old system of procedure be continued.

A meeting for the Finance and Advertising Committee was set for Wednesday, June 1st; by which time the other committees were expected to be organized and get into action.



Malting Barley

The National Barley Committee has recommended that only O.A.C. 21 or Mensury Ottawa 60 should be eligible this year for the malting grades. O.A.C. 21 is probably the most suitable for Western Canada.

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An Enterprising Young Man.

As readers of The Sun are no doubt well aware, Mr. Fraser Carmichael has been carrying on a campaign for the past five months in an effort to win 1 one of the capital prizes which the Royal Yeast company has been offering for competition among the enterprising young people across Canada. There are said to be 150 prizes to be awarded, with the top prize a three-year course at the university the winner chooses to attend. Fraser has been carrying on an energetic campaign to secure the coveted carton-tops, the largest number of which any single contestant is fortunate enough to secure, antiques him (or her) to the grand prizes. (There are 149 other prizes of various cash amounts, but which are considered to be worth making an effort to secure.

Mr. Carmichael, it is stated, has been enabled, thru his own efforts and those of his friends, to secure these carton tops to the number of over seven thousand, as the contest closed on Tuesday, May 31st. Fraser has graduated from grade twelve at S. F. H. and his many friends will wish him good luck.

Alterations at the Hotel.

Mine Host Philip Miller is at present making considerable improvements at his Royal Hotel premises, which will bring this establishment up to date in every respect. A new heating plant was installed some years ago, and now the piping for a hot and cold water service is being installed throughout the building, as well as indoor conveniences. The Royal Hotel will shortly be in a position to give its patrons all the comforts of home, and at reasonable prices.

Stony Plain and District.

Sam Miske, who left here a year ago to join the Canadian Flying Corps at Camp Borden, near Toronto, is at present on a month's leave of absence, which he is spending at his home, south of town.

Mr. Alfred Enders, who has been attending college at St. Louis, is expected to arrive back on June 10.

Mr. Harold C. Oatway, the well-known sportsman, who has been attending lectures at McGill University, Montreal, is said to be travelling homeward, coming up the trail with some companions, in a four-wheel carole, model too.

Truck owners are installing radios in their trucks, as a means of entertainment on a long trip. The latest of those to join the radio ranks are Alvin Hubbel and Geo. Sinner, who have purchased Philips.

Stony's town council meets tonight. One matter to be laid before it will be the proposition from about 12 residents of Third ave. west, who wish to have a water supply from the skating rink, by means of pipes and a pressure tank.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named CARL S. CLAUBEN, who died on the 24th day of February, 1938, are required to file with the Solicitor of the Administration, by the 16th day of July, 1938, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them; and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

DATED this 28th day of May, 1938
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Turgeon Grain Commission Report

The recent publication of the findings and recommendations of the Turgeon Royal Grain Commission does not seem to have caused a ripple of any sizeable proportions on the body politic to date.

This apparent lack of public interest of a vocal nature may be due to the fact that the document in its entirety, a tome of considerable dimensions, has not yet been printed and distributed and even the ample summaries issued to the press are of sufficient proportions to necessitate considerable cogitation before their contents become assimilable.

On the other hand, the absence of public comment on wide scale might be credited to lack of any spectacular proposals in the recommendations which, generally speaking, follow along lines regarded in some quarters as "safe and sane".

Some Disappointment Possible

Undoubtedly a substantial section of the farming community in Western Canada is disappointed to find that the Commission does not recommend the establishment of a national compulsory grain marketing board with full-fledged powers, for which there has been, and still is, a considerable demand from some individual farmers as well as farmer organizations.

Mr. Justice Turgeon's verdict that a national compulsory marketing organization would be impractical is somewhat modified, however, in his further suggestion that the present Canada Wheat Board set-up should be maintained "because of uncertain world factors."

To what extent the disappointment caused by the absence of a recommendation for a national compulsory marketing organization will be tempered when Mr. Justice Turgeon's reasons are thoroughly digested, remains to be seen. The general Western attitude towards the decision to reject such a proposal on the grounds of expediency, both abroad and at home, will probably not crystallize until farmer leaders have made public their views on the report and this is not likely to be forthcoming until they have had an opportunity of perusing the complete document.

Whether or not the reasons advanced in the report for refraining from recommending a compulsory board are sufficiently cogent to persuade leaders of farmer organizations that the time is not yet ripe for a such a board, it is a safe venture that the demand for it will be renewed at some future date, and particularly if a series of bumper crops in producing countries result again in low prices and another big carryover.

Trend Revealed At Conference

The very fact that some measure of control over production in the large producing countries, because of the danger of a recurrence of a flooded export market under certain conditions, is being urged by delegates who attended the British Empire Producers' conference this spring in Australia, would indicate that the agitation for compulsory control measures in some form will not be abandoned altogether.

This viewpoint can be elicited from the statement of one of the delegates recently returned from the Empire Producers' conference, J. H. Weston, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool and chairman of the Pools' Central Selling Agency, who at a recent meeting in Regina forecast the ultimate necessity of a world wide agreement among all wheat producing countries to eliminate dumping and surpluses "that shatter prices and bring ruination to producers."

Whether or not farmers and farm organizations continue their efforts towards the establishment of a national compulsory marketing organization, defer such efforts, or drop them entirely, serious consideration should be given in the meantime to some useful recommendations in the Turgeon Commission report.

Some Valuable Suggestions

Chief among these suggestions are recommendations for continuance and extension of voluntary co-operative marketing schemes "after the pattern of the Australian pools"; the establishment in London, England, of a Canadian representative to investigate buyers' complaints and endeavor to ensure consumer good will; periodic visits by members of the Board of Grain Commissioners to Great Britain and the establishment of a Canadian Wheat Institute to conduct research into new markets and new uses for wheat.

The necessity for the last-mentioned has on previous occasions been urged in this column as the ground that the processing of wheat into by-products may have great possibilities in widening the market for what is still the chief product of Western Canadian agriculture, and too much stress cannot be laid on the advisability of endeavoring to open up new markets of this type.

If some of the wheat now grown for bread can be diverted into commodities of another form, in the extent that this is possible and the product can be made a commercial feasibility, the dire consequences of another glut can be lessened by that much; and if such by-products can be absorbed in the domestic market, they may open the road to the development of new Canadian industries, a possibility which should not be overlooked.

Proving By The Stars

According To American Professor Signs Are Not Infallible

Astrologists claim that mysterious vibrations from distant stars influence human characteristics and abilities. Like every other scientist in good academic standing, Psychologist Paul Randolph Farnsworth, of Stanford University, views this claim with extreme skepticism. Last week he reported a statistical check of the horoscope makers on one specific point.

In the out of six "standard" astrology books that Dr. Farnsworth examined, it appeared that a person born under Libra ("The Scales"), seventh of the zodiac's 12 signs, should have musical ability. Libra's children are those born from September 14 to October 23. Looking up the birth dates of 1,498 musicians, Dr. Farnsworth found that fewer were born under this sign than under any other except Scorpio. Libra and Scorpio were in fact tied for last place as musician-makers. Thus in picking a musical sign the astrologists could have made 10 better choices than Libra, and could not have made a worse.

Dr. Farnsworth himself plays the violin very ably. He was born on August 13, under the sign of Leo.

The call notes of the cassowary can be heard two miles.

Thousand Islands Bridge

Dedication Ceremonies To Be Held On August 18th

Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada has accepted the Thousand Islands bridge authority's invitation to attend the dedication ceremonies opening the new Thousand Islands international bridge on August 18. The invitation to Mr. King corresponds to the one recently made to President Roosevelt, a warm personal friend of the Canadian premier, by the members of the bridge authority. Similar invitations have been extended to Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, and to Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York.

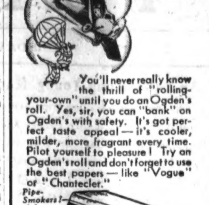
The new Thousand Islands international bridge across the St. Lawrence river and the Thousand Islands, will connect Ivey Lea, Ont., near Brockville, with Collins Landing, N.Y. It consists of five spans and 8½ miles of approaches and connecting roadways.

Keyholes had been placed below doorknobs for more than a century before a hotel genius thought of placing them above the doorknobs, where the patrons could readily see them.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has travelled more than 500,000 miles by air since he first learned to fly.

Elephants have skins that in places are four inches thick.

"DO AN OGDEN'S ROLL!"



The Old Barn Dance

It Was A Community Event In Which All Took Part

In pioneer times, when barn raisings were frequent, barn dances were community events. It was a poor barn indeed that was not opened by a "jolly "house-warming". In those days, there was none of the new-fangled fox-trots, "toddle", Charleston or the even newer Black Bottom or Big Apple. There was the occasional dignified waltz but generally speaking it was "Square your partners and all grand chain", with the booming voice of the caller keeping time to the music as he sang out "and wink your eye as you pass her by, and kiss the next one on the sly." It is easy for the older folks to warm the youth of to-day about keeping late hours. It would not be so easy for them to explain, however, what kept them stepping it off until daybreak at a rural barn dance!

And the curious part of it was that in those days it was the middle-aged and more elderly people who insisted on the fiddlers keeping up the music until it was time to go home and feed the cows—Windsor Star.

New Idea In Offices

Czechoslovakian Shoe King Does His Business In Elevator

Mr. Bata, the shoe king of Czechoslovakia, is building a new factory 16 stories high, which is going to be the highest concrete structure in Europe. Mr. Bata's own office in this factory is going to establish some record too, in Europe and out of it. It is a big elevator which moves up and down a shaft adjoining the office of the department heads on each floor, so that when Mr. Bata wants to have a conference all he does is push a button and presto, the conference is on. We hope this new development in office construction stays in Czechoslovakia—Tide.

SELECTED RECIPES

PRUNE WHIP

1 package Orange Jell-O
1 pint hot water
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon grated orange rind
4 tablespoons sugar
1½ cups cooked prune pulp
Dissolve Jell-O in hot water. Add salt and orange rind. Chill until cold and syrupy. Place in bowl of cracked ice or ice water and whip with rotary egg beater until fluffy and thick like whipped cream. Add sugar to prune pulp and fold into whipped Jell-O. File lightly in sherbet glasses. Chill until firm. Top with whipped cream or custard sauce. Serves 10.

When we were about to marry we said we'd be the boss of know the reason why. We know, the reason why.

Nearly 50 totally or partially blind persons in the United States are engaged in writing as a means of livelihood.

It's against the rules for any big league baseball player to be without a cap while in the game.

Canada As A Nation

Unity Must Be Maintained Or Full Growth Not Possible

In Nova Scotia recently the Legislature considered setting up a statute to Sir Charles Tupper. It was of Tupper that Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he made Confederation possible.

One of the Maritime legislators objected to the statute on the deplorably narrow ground that Tupper had done more for Upper Canada than for his own province. It is not such shortsighted gentlemen, unable to peer beyond the boundaries of their own province, who will build Canada into the nation she is to be.

In burning contrast were the words of the Right Hon. R. B. Bennett when he addressed the Young Men's Section of the Toronto Board of Trade a few days later:

"Ontario is a great Province, but it isn't Canada," he urged with passionate emphasis. "Neither is Quebec, the Maritime Provinces nor the Far West. And unless we realize that narrow provincial boundaries are not the limits of nationhood, we will never become the Dominion we ought to be. We must have common faith, common sacrifice, yes, a common confidence in each other to reach our common goal."

"On the shoulder straps of those who died for this country you will find only one word and that word is "Canada." Can we think nationally as they did? If we do not, we have failed."—Brookville Recorder and Times.

An All-Canadian Foot Remedy Company

We hear so much of American business success that it's a pleasure to tell of Cress Laboratories in Kitchener, Ontario, who in seven short years have their now famous foot remedies in thousands of drug and general stores across the Dominion.

In an interview with Hy. J. Holdman, manager, he pointed out that only recommendations from users could account for the steadily increasing sales. He also said that Mr. Cress himself had been selling Cress Salve since 1921, but that with the formation of the Cress Laboratories in 1931 a full line of tested foot remedies had been added—so simple and sure in application that every user would be sure of satisfaction.

Judge Has Good Idea

Speeders Are Fined Dollar A Mile In Buffalo

A dollar a mile will wipe off the smile of the driver who thinks he's a honey. A dollar a mile may not be a pile but at 75 it's real money. The Buffalo court judge who fined a young man \$75 for cursing about the city streets of South Buffalo at 75 miles an hour has a good idea. It helps to swell the city treasury and may serve as a governor on the cars of speed monkeys. Any boy or man who drives in city streets at high speed is playing with life and death.—Buffalo Courier-Express.

Just because a man's clothes look as if they'd been slept in doesn't prove conclusively that he has been to church. He may have been out fishing.



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Where The Fault Lies

Telephone Operator Says Many People Do Not Speak Clearly

If you have trouble making yourself understood over the telephone, do you think the listeners stupid or the apparatus out of order, or are you willing to admit that you yourself are at fault? Perhaps you are one of those who agree that the American telephone public has the numbers and that the numbers are fast degenerating into the grunts. To say a telephone operator, Miss Katherine Schmitt, who speaks from experience, for she got her first job in Manhattan's Nassau street exchange in 1922 and worked at the board for nearly 50 years in positions of increasing responsibility.

During the last eight years Miss Schmitt officially has been in retirement, but she is called upon now and then for the advice that she is especially equipped to give and her observations deserve a wide audience.

The human voice, she says, is capable of being trained to a high degree, but it does not take extraordinary training to produce clear, understandable "telephone" speech. What really is needed is for the speaker simply to give thought to the possibility that he is a mumbler, and to utter the syllables slowly and distinctly, without yelling or without skipping all the consonants. Thus we can do our share in fostering one of the amenities of life—Buffalo Courier-Express.

Taking Exciting Trip

California Heiress Is Planning Sixth Expedition To North

Summertime to Louise A. Boyd means hardship and exciting adventure in the Arctic. San Francisco and San Rafael heiress, she soon leaves Norway, where she has chartered an old Norwegian seal ship, on her sixth expedition to the North.

She plans to work her way from Spitzbergen to Greenland at a higher latitude than any vessel has made the passage. Four scientists will make the trip with her. The vessel carries a crew of 14.

Miss Boyd already has penetrated farther north than any white woman and is the only foreign woman to receive the order of Saint Olaf from Norway. Trip was awarded for her help in the search for Amundsen in 1928. At the same time the French government made her a chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

India greatly increased its business with the outside world last year.



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Censorship Fools People

Keeps Them From Knowing What Is Going On

The following article by Vincent Sheean appeared in the Red Book: "In Italy and Germany the industrious and peace-loving citizen has no means of knowing just what is going on. This is the constant factor which falsifies his judgment and makes him—whatever his hatred of war, and I believe it to be as strong as the French or English—a pliable instrument in the hands of those who govern him.

Italy's recent war, the conquest of Ethiopia and the intervention in Spain, are presented to this ordinary Italian citizen as wars of defense. Italy was forced to fight in Ethiopia because the Abyssinians attacked her; she was forced to fight in Spain because the "Reds" attacked the Fascist principle and endangered Italy's future security. (This is exactly paralleled in Japan where even educated opinion holds that Japan was attacked by China and forced to fight the present war there).

In the average Italian mind is the idea that Italy really is much more powerful than she really is. Non-Italians find this almost inconceivable, but it is the fact that many Italians believe they have intimidated England and France in a military sense, that the great powers are afraid of Italy.

The hard facts of the Italian economy (no coal, no steel, no gold, no cotton, no rubber, nothing to make war with except what is bought from abroad) have been obscured by all this hubbub over Italian victories in Abyssinia and Spain, so that quite sensible Italians have now come to regard their country as the leading military empire of Europe, and their dictator as a man practically irresistible."

Is Very Important

Study Of Grammar Considered Essential Part Of Education

Members of a so-called school of progressive educators have gone into action against a traditional belief that a knowledge of grammar constitutes an important contribution to proficiency in oral and written expression. "A memorable conflict on the issue has been waged at St. Louis University and has resulted, we believe, in a conquest for the formalists, those who take the position that orthography, etymology, syntax and prosody are among the things of life that really matter.

There has been a growing disposition in these liberal times in which we live to consider a split infinitive as something less than a major tragedy. In fact, there are nonconformists who dismiss it lightly as being of little, if any, importance. In St. Louis, however, a strong case was made out in support of the theory that every rule of grammar is in a sense a rule of life, that it is, in effect, the dividing line between law and lawlessness, order and disorder, between discipline and lack of discipline.

The study of grammar, the conventionalists maintain, aids proficiency by its worth as an adjunct to mental discipline. In a world which seems to be growing more muddled, we need more discipline, not less; more respect for learning, not more contempt for intellectual processes.

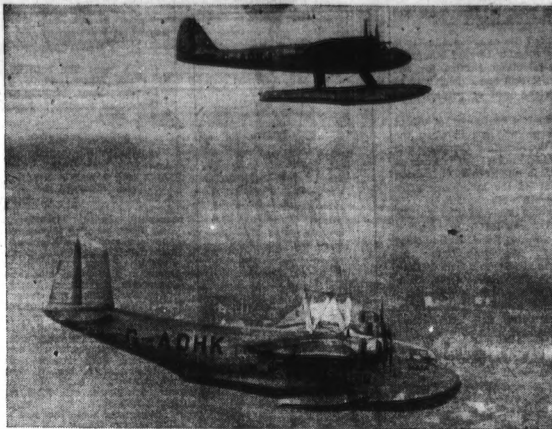
The protest against grammar, like the objection to memorizing the multiplication table, is another symptom of the hysterical desire for painless education. The study of grammar is a minor but essential part of the question: Shall we be geared to adult infantilism or shall we be educated to a disciplined maturity? When the issue is put to us in this light we must concede that perhaps, after all, grammar really matters.—Sarnia Canadian-Observer.

Many Thousands Enrolled

About 40,000 officers and men now are enrolled in the anti-aircraft defence Territorial unit, Leslie Hore-Belisha, the British secretary for War, announced at the inauguration of a new headquarters for the anti-plane defence service.

The secretary of a golf club found a tramp asleep on the course, and ordered him off. The tramp reluctantly obeyed, muttering in a reproachful voice: "That's not the way to get new members."

BRITISH COMPOSITE PLANE TO FLY OVER ATLANTIC THIS MONTH



The British Air Ministry has issued a certificate of air-worthiness covering the famous composite aircraft (above) the Mercury (top) and the Mayo (bottom), and these planes will face their first real test early in June when the Mercury will take off from the "Mayo" near Rochester, England, on a non-stop flight over the Atlantic to Canada. Captain Donald T. C. Bennett will pilot the Mercury. This picture shows the two planes shortly after they had separated during a trial flight.

Take Friendly Way

Canada And United States Settle Disputes Without Any Trouble

In these days of wars and threats of war and bitter talk among nations it is cheerful news to hear of a dispute between two countries that has been settled by the method that is plainly the best for both—in court.

A smelter at Trail, in Canada, year after year sent out fumes that blew over the border into the United States and caused damage to farms on the other side. But the President of the United States did not utter threats against the Canadians and charge them with a sly attempt to cripple the United States' agricultural production. The Canadian Prime Minister did not counterblast to cry that the national honour of the Dominion was being impugned.

Instead, the two countries agreed to set up a tribunal to investigate the whole matter. They appointed one of the foremost jurists from each country, and then an eminent legal authority from a neutral country as chairman. The tribunal delved carefully into the claims of the United States residents near the border, heard evidence, had scientific investigations made. Recently it issued its final award, laying down the damages that should be paid, and its verdict was unanimous.

We hate to think what would have happened if there had been a similar situation between two European countries. There would probably have been charges that one was trying to poison the population of the other by sending over poison gas. The frontier troops in the district would probably have launched a counter-attack long ago.

The Trail award is an example of what can be accomplished by international arbitration. We only wish more international disagreements could be settled in the same way.—Family Herald and Weekly Star.

To Fight Insanity

Insulin Treatment For Mental Illness Has Been Found Effective

Results of insulin treatment for mental illness among patients in the Ontario hospital in suburban New Toronto have been so successful, it was learned, that the Ontario department of health plans to open an insulin clinic at the Toronto Psychiatric hospital this fall. Insulin departments in other mental hospitals will be opened.

The treatment is for dementia praecox from which an estimated half the number of patients in Ontario's mental hospitals are suffering. Experiments in the New Toronto institution were said to have shown that 90 per cent. of cases might be prevented if patients were treated early enough.

Costa Rica, which has an area of only 28,000 square miles, has almost one-half as many species of flowering plants as have the United States and Canada combined. 2287

Won Cooking Contest

Eleven-Year-Old Boy Made Best Hungarian Goulash

The "Madison Square Boys Club has sponsored many contests, athletic and otherwise. In a recent week it sponsored a cooking contest. Cakes and candies were entered by the members, but seven pots of Hungarian goulash, cooked in the club's gymnasium, held chief interest. The judge was Oscar of the Waldorf. He sniffed, tasted. One contestant after another was eliminated. Then the famous Oscar decided. He presented the winner's silver cup to 11-year-old George Le Manna.

The winner had prepared the goulash by mixing chuck steak, medium-sized potatoes, carrots, butter, salt and pepper, and cooking the mixture for about two hours. George, wearing a chef's cap, served this sample of his culinary skill with noodles and tomatoes. The new Hungarian goulash "king" is of Italian ancestry.—New York Times.

In Toronto The Good

A total of \$17,791 in cash and a considerable collection of plugged nickels, lead slugs, tokens and foreign coins of dubious value were garnered during the recent tag day in Toronto for the benefit of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. It was reported by the collectors.

Because they contain more of the strong characteristic onion oil that produces tears, late onions will make you weep more than early ones.

Created His Own Job

Young Man Makes Money Selling Tires On Commission

A young fellow attending a trade school, and needing a part-time job to help pay his expenses, developed an idea that has netted him a good profit.

He walked the streets about town, keeping his eyes open. Whenever he saw an automobile with worn tires he jotted down the license number. He soon had a list of 50 cars. He secured a license directory and looked up each one of the numbers, and thus secured the name of each car owner. Then he explained to a tire dealer that he had a prospect for tire sales and explained his method. The tire dealer sent a salesman to take one of the addresses and sold tires to many of them.

The young man received a commission on each sale. On the first 50 cars he received \$12. And he has been doing better since then.—Christian Science Monitor.

Makes Yarn Unshrinkable

A new process of rendering all-wool knitting yarn unshrinkable has been invented in Australia, and the new yarn is already being produced in bulk. The inventors claim that the process will enable the woolen industry to compete with foreign synthetic wool yarns. It will add only very slightly to the cost.

Kingston firemen are to be allowed to play cards in the firehalls. It used to be thought that if people played cards anywhere they'd go to blazes.

CHIEF SCOUT SUFFERS A RELAPSE



Lord Baden-Powell, chief of the Boy Scouts of the world, is reported to have suffered a slight relapse on the liner Langibity Castle while returning from South Africa, where he has been spending the winter. The Chief Scout, who is 81, is shown above addressing a gathering of Scouts shortly before he left England last year.

Northern Highway

Plan To Link Prince Albert With Lac la Ronge

Dream of a highway traffic artery extending northward from Prince Albert, to tap the very heart of northern Saskatchewan's richly mineralized areas, comes closer to being a reality.

In keeping with promises made by the provincial government that roads would be built into the province's mineral areas, a party of engineers passed through Prince Albert recently on their way to Montreal Lake. This party will immediately commence surveying the highway linking the northern terminus of Waskesiu-Montreal Lake highway, completed last year, with the southern end of Lac la Ronge.

Completion of the third link in the roadway which pushes back northland barriers, will give the province immediate access to the parklands and mineralized areas to a penetration of approximately 150 miles from Prince Albert.

The first link of the highway from Prince Albert to Waskesiu gives access to the Prince Albert National Park, and the second link, on to Montreal Lake, provides another step toward realization of a proposed northward road which may eventually reach into the northernmost section of the province.

While the stretch from Montreal Lake to Lac la Ronge is lengthier than the section completed last year from Waskesiu to Montreal Lake, a reconnaissance survey made last fall revealed the road could be constructed with less difficulty than was met in the construction of the 20-mile stretch from Waskesiu to Montreal Lake.

The new link, in addition to providing an important traffic artery for business purposes, will extend the scope for travel for tourists who visit Prince Albert National Park.

It will permit tourists to travel into country little known to the average northern Saskatchewan tourist, where fish and game abound.

An Amazing Change

Population Of The World Increasing At A Rapid Rate

All the information available indicates that "until the latest moment of cosmic time the growth of the entire human population has been infinitesimally slow. At the beginning of the 19th century there was an aggregate of about 750 million people in the world.

Allowing a span of one million years for man's previous existence, it appears that the average net increase of the entire human species up to that time was only about 700 a year. Admitting that this is a rather extreme use of the simple arithmetical average, it nevertheless remains clear that the population of the world up to a century and a half ago was much more nearly stationary than we are inclined to suppose.

And then suddenly something happened. From the 750 million total of 1800, the population of the world sprang to nearly 1,700 million in 1900. It stands at about two billion to-day. In brief, during the nineteenth century humanity added much more to its total volume than it had been able to pile up during the previous million years, and in 150 years it nearly trebled the number.

These are the most amazing figures in the whole gallery of statistical pictures. Their essential significance is actually incomprehensible. We are blind to it only because the habituation of our own individual lifetimes causes us to regard as "natural" or "normal" that which is really absolutely unique in human experience. — Henry Pratt Fairchild, in Harper's.

Chicago police arrested a 27-year-old electrician for driving without an auto license or headlights. "Name?" asked the court clerk. "Adolph Hitler," said the prisoner. He was telling the truth.

Ontario editor says there is nothing worse than reading a book just because everyone else is reading it. Yes, there is—singing a song because everyone else is singing it.

Will you tell me why low dresses are called "full dresses"?

For the same reason, I suppose, that a plain chicken is called a "dressed chicken."

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The German government has ordered all German military advisers now in China to return to the Reich.

By Royal license, the Duke of Buckingham has changed his family name from John Hampden Hobart-Hampton-Mercer-Henderson to John Hampton Mercer-Henderson.

A 10-month controversy between Vancouver Island coal miners and operators was ended with signing of a tentative agreement providing for a five per cent. wage increase.

Under direction of the Yugoslav American Electric Company, electrification of vast fertile areas of Yugoslavia's agricultural country will begin immediately.

Nearly 500,000,000 of new ordinary life insurance was sold in Canada and Newfoundland last April, according to returns compiled by the Life Insurance sales research bureau.

Production of automobiles in Canada during April increased 12 per cent. over production in April 1937. The Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

The second full-sized battleship to be laid down by the Germans since the Great War slid down the ways into Kiel Bay after having been christened the Goebenau in an impressive ceremony.

The United States War department announced award of a contract for 13 highly modernized fighting planes to cost \$3,168,265. The contract was given the Bell Aircraft Company of Buffalo, N.Y.

Construction of a new Canadian National depot at Saskatoon is on the list of projected works to be undertaken this year by the federal government. It was learned from reliable sources.

Interest on funded and unfunded debts total 30.30 per cent. of Canada's revenues in the fiscal year 1936-37, the finance department said in a return tabled in the House of Commons to questions by Robert Fair (S.C., Battle River).

Sir Gerald Campbell

An American Tribute To Canada's New British High Commissioner

New Yorkers will receive with decidedly mixed feelings the news that Sir Gerald Campbell has been promoted to be British High Commissioner in Canada. They will be delighted at this recognition of his worth and correspondingly depressed at the prospect of losing him. For in the seven years that Sir Gerald has served his country here as Consul General he has made a niche for himself in the social life of the city which another will find it very difficult to fill.

It is natural, of course, that the British Consul General should be in demand as a speaker at public gatherings. But in Sir Gerald's case that demand has been enormously reinforced by the joy with which every audience in his address has acclaimed his simple charm, his patient friendliness and his never-failing wit. These qualities have been quite as much in evidence to those who have had the good fortune to know him privately. One rarely runs across a more amusing and companionable man.

Let us congratulate the Canadians while hoping that he will find time in his new post to pay us many a visit, the more the merrier—literally.

Irrigating The Desert

Project In India Biggest Ever Undertaken In World

Completion of the mighty barrage across the Indus River in the Province of Sind, in India, is spurring the engineers to finish the biggest irrigation undertaking in the world. Hyderabad reports that when the project is in full operation the area under cultivation will be nearly trebled.

About 1,000,000 acres will be planted to cotton and 50,000 acres will be devoted to new crops. The barrage itself, a dam with sluice gates, has 96 spans 60 feet wide, and from it flow channels and water-courses covering 7,500,000 acres. Two towns were built to house the 50,000 workers and 1,589 bridges had to be constructed. The operations covered 12,000 miles, largely desert.—New York Herald Tribune.

Still Far From Perfect

Television Play In New York Not Very Satisfactory

The United States radio industry is advancing steadily toward inauguration of a television service. For the time being, however, it still has a long way to go before the goal of perfection is reached.

This was the consensus of about 1,000 persons who sat in when the National Broadcasting Company and Radio Corporation of America brought their all-electronic television system out of the laboratory after a seven-month's hibernation.

In a special demonstration for the press, N.B.C. and R.C.A. broadcast a mystery drama from Radio City, New York. The presentation required three studios and four distinct techniques. The main action was performed by a cast of seven actors, but auxiliary media in the form of motion pictures, still slides and special television effects were contributed.

The program was carried by underground coaxial cable from the Radio City skyscraper to the Empire State Building, less than a mile away. It went out over a television transmitter located on the 85th floor of the Empire State Building. Back in Radio City, press representatives sat before 15 television sets and for 25 minutes watched the drama unfold on a plate screen 7½-by-10 inches.

Blending of the film and live action was accomplished ingeniously and the images projected on the screen were generally sharp and without distortion. However, the tonal effects were not so clear as in ordinary broadcasting and the small images caused eye strain.

Streets As Synonyms

Many In London Still Associated With Professions And Trades

London's famous street of second-hand bookshops, the Charing Cross Road, is being invaded. The haberdashers are ousting the booksellers. The browser, if he be a learned browser, will surely regret the substitution of collars for scholars; and even if he be one who can only say, with W. H. Davies:

When I went down past Charing Cross

A plain and simple man was I, his simple tastes will scarcely relieve the change from print, to cambric. Nor will it those who watch zealously to preserve the old traditions be appeased by any attempt of the haberdashers to offer a sock to Cerberus.

Nevertheless, although London, as lovers of the time-honored and picturesque, will never cease to remind us is changing rapidly—although the aspect of the streets, and sometimes of late, their ancient names, alter from day to day—it is surprising how deeply rooted are associations with a trade or profession. Fleet street with its presses, Harley street with its doctors, Savile Row for clothes, and many others are still, as much as ever, current synonyms for the work that is carried on there and as yet this new mode of haberdashery and darning seems not very widespread.—Christian Science Monitor.

Upsets Old Theory

Screw Hole Indicates Wood Petrified

In About 100 Years The discovery of a piece of petrified wood at Coalinga, California, with a screw in it and a hole where undoubtedly another screw had been has upset all previously existing theories of the length of time required for petrification to take place.

To date, it has been generally accepted that 500 years were required for a piece of wood to petrify. The fact that screws were not in general use until about 100 years ago would seem to indicate, judging from the find, that petrification may take place in a much shorter time.

No Longer Greatest Peril

In Catalonia, since the Spanish war began, 1,553 people have been killed, 2,007 injured in 315 air raids. On the roads of Britain in the same period of time 10,741 people have been killed, 366,326 injured. War is ceasing to be mankind's greatest peril.

By prescribing eight glasses of water daily for everybody, Dr. Charles Mayo gives the human race \$1,000,000,000 worth of medical advice.

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For Markets Of World

British Columbia Produces About 600,000,000 Apples Each Year

Mr. C. A. Hayden, editor of Country Life in British Columbia, estimates that 600,000,000 apples are produced each year for the markets of the world by growers in the interior of this province. Of these, approximately 360,000,000 are taken up by the market in Canada, while 240,000,000 go abroad, principally to the United Kingdom.—Vancouver Province.

None of the New World Indians (Mayas, Incas, or Americans), progressed far enough to learn the use of the wheel, until the white man came.

Utah has five head of cattle for every human inhabitant.



STEPPING STONES (The Chancellor of the British Exchequer crosses the flood of expenditures).—News of the World.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 5

SERVING BY PERSONAL DEVOTION TO CHRIST

Golden text: She hath done what she could. Mark 14:8.
Lesson: Mark 14:3-11, 27-31.
Devotional Reading: Psalm 116:1, 2, 6, 7, 12-14.

Explanations And Comments

Unstinted Outpouring of Loyal Affection, Mark 14:3-9. In Bethany there was a man still called Simon the leper, although he must have been cured of his leprosy or his guests would have been made ceremonially unclean. Calling to mind how Matthew was termed "Matthew the publican" after he had left his tax-collecting, we may assume that "the leper" was kept with Simon's name to distinguish him from other Simons in his village. A supper was given by Simon—in Jesus' honor John tells us—and while Jesus reclined at the table, Mary, the sister of Martha and Lazarus (John 12:3) broke an alabaster cruse and poured its costly contents of pure nard over his head. John reports that she anointed also the feet of Jesus and wiped his feet with her hair, and that the house was filled with the odorous ointment.

There were some that had indignation among themselves, saying, "To what purpose hath this waste of the ointment been made?"

But Jesus said, "Let her alone; why trouble ye her? she hath wrought a good work on me."

Jesus Announced the Desertion and the Denial of Peter, Mark 14:27-31. Our two texts put together without the intervening verses, give us a strong contrast between the loyal devotion of Mary and the weak desertion of the disciples. The disciples, Jesus told them as they were on their way to Gethsemane, would have their loyalty to him so severely tested that they would all fail. He quoted to them Zechariah 13:7: "I shall smite the shepherd, and the sheep shall be scattered abroad." But he assured them that he would be raised up after his death, and would meet them in Galilee.

Peter was positive he would not fail his Master. No one could be surer than he was of his loyalty to Jesus then and evermore, and he declared that although all should be offended in Christ, yet he would not be. And when Jesus warned him that "this night, before the cock crow twice," he would deny him three times, Peter spoke "exceeding vehemently," maintaining that "If I must die with thee, I will not deny thee." He spoke honestly. He confidently believed that nothing in the world could make him disloyal to his Master. The sequel is told in verses 66-75 of this chapter.

Drama Festival

Will Be Held Next April In London, Ontario

The Dominion drama festival will be held next April in London, Ont., governors of the festival decided at the annual meeting in Winnipeg. Definite dates will be selected later.

Hon. Vincent Massey, Canada's high commissioner in London, was re-elected president of the Dominion drama festival.

Governors of the festival re-elected included L. Bullock-Webster, Victoria, and Mrs. Ernest Myers, Saskatoon.

New governors elected included C. R. Matthews, Lethbridge, Alta.

When the republic of Panama took a census in 1920, the Indians in that country were not counted.

It has been estimated that the forest areas of the world amount to nearly 8,000,000 acres.

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ARTICLE No. 38

A Word To Women About Cancer

Nearly everyone has had during life some sort of growth or tumour. It may have been only a wart which may appear on any part of the body. Most growths are harmless. Many never need removal. Some even of insignificant beginnings are dangerous. It is of the highest importance to determine the true character of every growth or tumour, whether great or small, whose existence is known or suspected.

What are Tumours? Elsewhere in these articles on cancer it has been pointed out that the body is composed of countless millions of cells and that a tumour is a group of cells which grows independently of the rest of the tissues and serves no useful purpose. As a hereditary trait, it grows from unhealthy tissue, a tissue perhaps which has been inflamed, irritated or over-exposed to sun or weather. A few forms of tumour show a hereditary tendency. Most tumours, however, are not hereditary. Some persons seem to be more susceptible to tumours than others. This is not an unusual circumstance. Some persons take colds or other affections more readily than others. Tuberculosis, for example, spreads more readily in some families than others, but tuberculosis is no longer considered an hereditary disease.

Women are peculiarly liable to tumours in the breast and uterus. These tumours occur usually after 35 years of age, occasionally earlier. Many of the tumours of women are simple and without danger.

Nearly all tumours begin with apparently trivial symptoms. It is a pity that at the beginning they did not present the pain of a toothache. If they did, more attention would be paid to them. It is an encouraging fact that among all tumours of the human body there are none which so readily respond to early treatment as those peculiar to women. It is encouraging too, that only 25% or less, of breast tumours are cancerous.

Tumours of the breast begin, as do tumours everywhere, as a single cell. A growth in the breast should be discovered when no larger than a bean. This is the moment for action. The character of the tumour should at once be determined. If cancerous, surgery is the best means of treatment. Surgery in these early cases of breast tumour offers 90% of cure. The delayed case may mean over 90% of failure. There must be no delay in dealing with a tumour.

Next article: Cancer in Men.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to: The Health League of Canada, 103 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Great Force For Peace

Scout Organizations Throughout World Are Doing Good Work

The greatest work for future world peace is at present being done by scout organizations throughout the world, says J. F. M. Stewart, vice-president of the general council of scout commissioners in Canada.

The Toronto Boy Scout leader presided at the conference of provincial presidents and commissioners held in Winnipeg three-day sessions.

"When we consider that the yearly turnover of international scouting is 1,000,000 boys and the active membership 3,000,000 boys, we must reach the conclusion that we are working for eventual brotherhood of man," Mr. Stewart said.

Argyria is a peculiar disease which turns the skin a grayish-blue; long continued use of medicine containing silver salts bring it on.

ROYAL AIR FORCE READY TO MEET THE TEST OF WAR

London.—After Prime Minister Chamberlain assured Great Britain the Royal Air Force was ready to meet "tomorrow" if necessary the test of war, the House of Commons rejected a Labor demand for an inquiry into the progress of air rearmament.

The vote of 329 to 144 followed debate on which Hugh Dalton, Labor front bench, accused the government of failure to obtain co-operation from Canada and the other dominions, and Sir Kingsley Wood, air secretary, announced Viscount Nuffield, wealthy motor car manufacturer, would undertake large scale production of aeroplane bodies in his immense factories.

When the air mission now in North America returned, Sir Kingsley said he would examine with its members the possibilities open to Great Britain in Canada and the United States. Representatives of two leading United States aircraft firms were coming to England for further discussions, he stated.

Mr. Chamberlain said the government could not accept the Labor motion for an inquiry and made it clear he regarded it as a question of confidence. He declared the government had plans ready to create a ministry of supply immediately in the event of war.

The Royal Air Force "if put to the test tomorrow" would prove to be "one of the most formidable fighting machines in the world," Mr. Chamberlain declared amid cheers from the government benches. Britain's bombers were the fastest in the world and never taken on order showed "marked advance."

Canada was first brought into the debate by Dr. Hugh Dalton, Labor front-bench.

He quoted a statement made in the Ottawa House of Commons by Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister of defence, to the effect the Canadian government had been unable to secure delivery of anti-aircraft guns and heavy ordnance, although an order was placed in Great Britain in 1935, and would therefore rely henceforth on its own production.

Mr. Chamberlain replied that if Canada and other dominions had been unable to get delivery of orders it was not because there was not a British ministry of supply but simply because all available capacity, for production was being "operated for our own purposes."

Probable Date For Appeal

Privy Council May Consider Alberta Case On July

Ottawa.—Alberta appeals against judgments of the supreme court of Canada on the recent constitutional references will probably be heard by the judicial committee of the privy council in London on July 4, according to word received by the justice department here.

The judgments appealed filed three Alberta statutes relating to the taxation of banks, the regulation of credit and newspapers unconstitutional.

Cheered By Large Crowd

London.—More than 8,000 persons cheered the king and queen as their majesties arrived at Albert Hall to hear a choir of 2,000 voices sing in an Empire Day royal command concert. Singers came from Scotland, Eire, Wales and some of the dominions, and the concert was broadcast to many parts of the empire.

Rock Slide Kills Miner

God's Lake, Man.—James Henry Law, formerly of Prairie River, Sask., was killed instantly when four tons of rock dropped on him while at work underground in God's Lake mine, 350 miles northeast of Winnipeg. An inquest will be held. He is survived by his widow and two children.

Kingston Labor Riots

Kingston, Jamaica.—Three men were killed in Kingston's labor riots brought the total to six. Three men were killed on the Caymans sugar estates outside Kingston after the plantation manager read the Riot act to a group of striking workmen.

Royal Visit To France

Plans Made For Visit Of King And Queen On June 28

Paris.—Detailed plans for the reception to be given King George VI and Queen Elizabeth when they arrive June 28 on a visit to France were made public.

When the royal yacht Victoria and Albert approaches French territorial waters from the North sea, honors will be paid by a squadron of the French fleet, which will accompany the vessel to Boulogne. The yacht will slow down as it passes the monument erected at the entrance to the port of Boulogne in memory of British soldiers killed in France during the Great War.

The sovereign and his consort will be welcomed by Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet, British Ambassador Sir Eric Phipps and representatives of President Albert Lebrun.

After the welcoming ceremonies the king and queen will enter the president's special train. Along the route to Paris stations will be closed and the public excluded one hour before the arrival of the train. Gen-arms and members of the guard mount will join railway police in protecting bridges and signal stations.

Attempted Kidnapping

Man Held In Connection With Lord Nuffield Case

Oxford, Eng.—Police held 50-year-old John Bruce Thornton on a charge of carrying two automatic pistols and questioned a second man in connection with what Viscount Nuffield, motor millionaire, termed an attempt to kidnap him.

Lord Nuffield and the authorities were secretive but it was disclosed police had been guarding the manufacturer's home at Huntcombe, near Henley, for some time. Thornton was arrested when he arrived at Lord Nuffield's Cowley works of the Morris Motor Company.

Possibility that Thornton intended to flee the country with Lord Nuffield as his captive was seen when police seized the 41-ton motor yacht Pierette, which Thornton gave as his address. The yacht had been anchored in the Thames off Fimlin, near Ipswich, for some days.

May Remain In England

But Alberta's Rancher Earl Has Not Reached Decision

Southampton.—The Earl of Egmont, Alberta rancher, arrived here in the liner Empress of Britain undecided whether to live in Avon castle, the ancestral residence of the Egmont family in Hampshire. His countess said she was "dying" to see the castle.

Lord Egmont said they were staying several months and would tour the United Kingdom. He was undecided whether or not to take his seat in the house of lords. He said it was up to the countess whether they settle in Avon castle, but admitted he had purchased a return ticket to Canada.

Reason Budget Is Delayed

Government Anxious To Include Trade Treaty With U.S.

Ottawa.—Delay in presentation of the budget is due to the desire of the government to include in it, if possible, the revised trade treaty with United States, Hon. Charles Dunning, minister of finance, told the House of Commons. It was not certain as yet whether that objective would be reached.

Hon. H. A. Stewart (Cons. Leeds) asked if the budget would be brought down before the Saskatchewan election June 8.

"The Saskatchewan election has nothing to do with the budget," Mr. Dunning replied.

Date Has Been Chanced

Conference Of Livestock Ministers Postponed Until After June 8

Winnipeg.—Hon. D. L. Campbell, Manitoba minister of agriculture, announced a conference of livestock ministers for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta will be held shortly after the Saskatchewan election, June 8. The parity, tentatively scheduled for last week, to discuss all phases of the livestock industry, has been postponed.

HUNGARY'S PREMIER



Dr. Bela Imredy, former Minister of Economics in the Hungarian cabinet, who became the new Premier to succeed Koloman Daranyi in the purge of Nazi elements that followed Hungary's being pushed into the German sphere of influence.

Urge Co-ordination

For Dominion-Provincial Partnership In Social Service Field

Ottawa.—A Dominion-provincial "partnership" in the social service field, under which the Dominion would assume some responsibilities in their entirety and would recognize others as resting with the provinces, was envisaged before the Rowell commission as it resumed sittings here.

In addition to areas of distinct jurisdiction, closely co-ordinated action by Dominion and provincial governments was advocated in such matters as re-settlement schemes, the linking of vocational training to employment placement and advisory supervision of welfare services.

Miss Charlotte Whitton, speaking for the Canadian Welfare Council, placed the detailed plan before the commission.

Miss Whitton held it to be the first duty of the state to assure its citizens such conditions of gainful occupation as to make possible at least a minimum subsistence. Urging co-ordinated control of settlement and depopulation of unsuitable areas under Dominion leadership, Miss Whitton said unsuitable lands had been settled in many parts of all provinces, not just in the drouth area of the prairies, and some of it at no great distance from Ottawa itself.

The council proposed Dominion administration of services to be made contributory, some on the insurance principle, covering dependence due to "old age, widowhood and orphanhood, loss or impairment of gainful occupation, costs of care and loss of income during sickness."

To operate the insurance machinery, a Dominion social insurance board was advocated.

Garages employ 750,000 persons in the United States.

PROMINENT IN INVESTIGATION OF "CHEST" CURE



An important conference was held in Toronto recently when Hon. Harold J. Kirby (right), Ontario Minister of Health, invited prominent physicians and hospital representatives to examine claims of David Fingard, Winnipeg chemist, that he had discovered a "cure" for diseases of the respiratory organs. Mr. Fingard's treatment was introduced in England in 1934 and some 10,000 persons have been treated. It is also being used in Winnipeg, and ex-Mayor Colonel Ralph Webb (left), of Winnipeg, personally attended the Toronto meeting to declare his backing of the new treatment.

Fishermen Are Angry

Ready To Fight Reported Jap Invasion Of Codfish Banks

Seattle.—George W. Shields, secretary-treasurer of the Pacific Coast Codfish Co., said he was preparing to dispatch two dozen, high powered rifles and ammunition requested by his brother, Capt. E. Shields, to combat reported invasion of Bering sea codfish banks by Japanese fishermen.

He said Captain Shields, master of the Sophie Christensen, Seattle cod-fishing schooner now on the far northern banks, wireless that a dozen rifles be sent him and a dozen to the company's schooner, Charles R. Wilson, also in Bering sea.

The Alaskan Fishermen's Union announced it would send immediate reinforcements aboard the ship Mt. McKinley and La Merced for southwestern Alaska.

"We will not foot around any longer with this Japanese situation," William Hicker, secretary of the union, said. "The fishermen are angry and will take action to drive the Japanese out."

He said he had been advised there were 15 Japanese boats within eight miles of the United States shore and they were making trips to shore "when no one is looking."

British Freighter Bombed

Struck By Insurgent Bomb And Sinks Off Spanish Coast

Valencia, Spain.—The British freighter Thorpehall was hit by insurgent bombs and sank just outside the port of El Grao, close to this city. An officer and one member of the crew were rescued before the ship sank. The airmen dropped four bombs, two of them scoring direct hits.

The Thorpehall figured prominently in a series of incidents earlier in the Spanish hostilities, when it ran the Bilbao blockade. British warships had to go to its aid on a number of occasions to save it from attack.

The latest incident follows a series of insurgent aerial attacks on British ships in Spanish harbors.

Dies In Mine Accident

Kirkland Lake, Ont.—Ivan Booth, 38, native of Eglar, Sask., was decapitated at the Wright-Hargreaves gold mine here when a piece of rock fell on his head. Booth was mucking on the 2,700-foot level at the time. He is survived by his widow and two children.

Guards Crown Jewels

London.—A new constable of the tower of London, Field Marshall Sir Claude Jacob, received the golden keys and formally undertook responsibility for the priceless crown jewels of Great Britain, guarded day and night in the old tower.

New Japanese Shih

Ottawa.—Baron Shun Tomii, new Japanese minister to Canada, presented his credentials to Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general of Canada. The Emperor of Japan has accredited him as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Canada.

CZECH SITUATION STILL REGARDED AS VERY GRAVE

Berlin.—Germany regarded the situation in Czechoslovakia frontier as having taken a new turn for the worse because of repeated border violations by Czech military plans.

The feeling here was that the Czechs were playing a dangerous game. Apologies, it was feared, could not remove causes of the tension which, the Berliner Tagblatt warned, might be brought to the point of explosion at any moment by the reckless act of some Czech soldier.

Dr. Ernest Eisenlohr, German minister to Praha, protested to the Czech foreign minister, Kamil Krofta, and was given assurance all efforts would be made to prevent recurrence of the border violations.

A sixth incident in which Czech army planes flew over German territory was believed to have occurred after publication of a Deutsches Nachrichten Bureau (D.N.B.), official German news agency, report of five border violations.

The German foreign office denied Eisenlohr had been instructed to protest against the massing of Czech troops in the Sudeten regions of Czechoslovakia, a violation of a minority of 3,500,000 Germans.

(Bitterness grew in Czech political circles. Some observers regarded events as an indication Germany was on the point of issuing an ultimatum to Praha demanding withdrawal of the troops from the border region.)

"Under no circumstances," threatened the Berlin Lokalanzeiger, "shall we tolerate border violation which has the character of preparation for attack."

Chinese Make Stand

Escaped Soldiers At Suichow To Offer Resistance

Shanghai.—Ten thousand Chinese soldiers who escaped Japan's encirclement of Suichow attempted to brace for new resistance to the Japanese campaign inland through central China.

These forces, scattered by collapse of China's defences at Suichow, were converging near Mengcheng, about 80 miles southeast, in Anhwei province.

Apparently they salvaged enough rifles and machine guns to menace the Japanese westward drive along the Lunghai railroad. A Japanese spokesman said forces were preparing to "obliterate this detachment," indicating they planned intensive aerial bombardments.

Japanese despatches, reporting continued swift progress along the Lunghai toward Hankow, seat of China's government, conflicted with Chinese advices.

Chinese reports from Kalfeng, further inland, said a heavy counter offensive eastward along the railroad was checking Japan's drive.

Trapped In Forest Fire

Man Loses Life In Bush Near Port Arthur

Port Arthur.—Horror of being trapped in a raging forest fire were recounted by Helma Olafson who with others of his logging crew, covered for half an hour in a creek 18 feet wide with knowledge one of their mates probably was being burned to death not far away.

Olafson, foreman of the crew of five, driving pulpwood near Heron bay, told of the fire in which Ole Swanson lost his life because, as he thought, there was lots of time.

Swanson failed to hurry with the rest of the crew when they rushed to the creek for shelter and later, apparently, became confused and headed into the flames. The body was burned almost beyond recognition.

Preparing For Olympics

Tokyo.—The Tokyo municipal assembly approved a budget providing \$6,648,700 to cover expenses in playing host to the 1940 Olympic games. The budget stipulated construction of an Olympic village to house athletes, a main stadium, a cycling stadium, indoor sports hall, and a swimming stadium.

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CHAPTER XI.—Continued

"You gave me a nastier one, I'm sure," said Ernest, politely.

"Doubt it. Drink?"

"No, thanks."

"You know, Bingley," said Duff-Hooper, "in many ways you're not a bad sort at all. Why, you might almost be an Englishman."

"Thanks," said Ernest.

The captain raised his glass.

"I drink," he said, "to the confusion of all ghosts, phantoms, apocrypha and haunts in general, and to the spirit of Sir Rufus in particular. If I ever do meet him, I shall jolly well tweak his nose and chase him back across the Styx."

"Amen," said Ernest. "And if I meet him—"

He stopped, for the captain's glass had fallen from his limp hand, and the captain's eyes were staring from their sockets. Ernest looked where the captain was looking. Then his eyes protruded, too. Through the yellow-gray light of the Great Hall a figure was coming toward them, and it was a headless ghost.

Ernest Bingley and Captain Eme Duff-Hooper stood their ground. Or at least they did not run away. It was not courage, however, which soothered them to the sofa. It was total paralysis. If they could have moved a muscle, it would have availed them little, for their backs were to the solid wall of the castle, and between them and any egress was the solid figure without a head. Slowly it came toward them. Seeing them, it paused and stood regarding them as if it were trying to decide which to dispatch first.

After a long and breathless minute it said,

"I say, what's this—a convention?"

The voice of the third ghost was the voice of the current Earl of Bingley.

No sound came from the sofa save the rattling of teeth.

"Fine weather for haunting," observed the earl.

Ernest began to laugh a wild, hysterical laugh. Duff-Hooper poured himself another drink.

"I'm getting to be rather good at this ghost business," said the earl. "I rather think that the Wyncopps have already begun to pack."

"So you hit on my idea, too," said Ernest.

"Your idea?" returned the earl, nettled. "I like that! Your idea, indeed? Why, my dear old banisher, I was doing some amateur haunting around here when you were still at nurse. I've worn two, heads, frightening unwelcome guests. I say, help me out of this clammy dignity. Haunting always makes me thirsty for a Scotch and splash."

Ernest came down to breakfast a

little late. Otis G. and Armina Wyncop, and Mrs. Clara-Martha Phelps were already at table. Their appetites did not seem to be very hearty. They were dressed for travelling.

"I'm sorry we must leave in such a hurry, Ernest," Armina said.

"Surely you're not going so soon?" said Ernest.

"It's for the best," said Mrs. Wyncop. "Poor little Mervin is on the brink of a nervous breakdown. After his horrible experience last night he refuses to stay here another day."

"What experience?" asked Ernest.

"He saw a ghost."

"Moonshine, my dear lady," said the earl, blandly. "The imaginative little fellow was dreaming. Had too many tarts."

"I had no tarts," said Armina Wyncop, "and I saw the ghost."

"Oh, come, come, now," said the earl. "After those yarns I spun at dinner you were in a mood for ghosts. What you saw was probably Cook in her night-gown."

"It was a man and it had no head."

"May I recommend my medical man in London?" said the earl. "He's tip-top on nerves and so on. Beddington always goes to him when he has the yipping whim-whams. Suppose you just buzz in and consult Sir Casimir Hitchcock, in Harley street, and he'll give you some pills."

"That's not a bad hunch, Mina," said Otis G. Wyncop. "Guess I need a tonic or something myself. Seeing that ghost has got me down."

"So veddy sorry I slept through all the excitement," said Mrs. Phelps.

"You must pay us another visit soon, my dear Mrs. Phelps," said the earl. "I feel sure I can arrange a personal interview with the ghost for you."

"How veddy kind of you," said Mrs. Phelps.

"What happened to Mervin?" Ernest asked.

"He's waiting in the car," said Mrs. Wyncop. "He had his breakfast fast there. I'm afraid the poor little fellow does not like castles much."

"That's too bad," said Ernest.

"I feel sure I can arrange a personal interview with the ghost for you."

"We'll just slip away quietly, if you don't mind. His sensitive system has had a shock. He can stand no more excitement for a while."

"When he's cured will you come back?" said Ernest.

"Thank you, but I'm afraid not," said Mrs. Wyncop. "We'll spend a few days in London and then go to Europe. Mervin wishes to visit the Tower again and brush up on his history. Otis has a business appointment with Sir Peter Tyler. I must get a perm. After that, we'll cross the channel and just gad about."

"I'll be staying in London," said Mrs. Phelps. "At the Hyde Park Hotel. I simply must go to work on my Chaucerian research, you know."

"The thanks of the Wyncopps were expressed, and acknowledged, and good-byes said."

The rented limousine glided away from the castle door. A subtle and wordless Mervin huddled in the back seat, flanked by his bulky progenitors.

The earl stood waving his handkerchief at the disappearing car. Mrs. Phelps waved back. The car slipped round a bend. The Wyncopps had gone.

"Oh, boy, oh, boy, did I do a good job of haunting!" said the earl.

"You certainly did, sir," laughed Ernest.

"They started back into the castle. No doubt as on Ernest's immediate horizon now. Lady Rosa was dressing to go for a walk with him."

"What's that?" exclaimed the earl. "Sink me, if they're not coming back!"

Ernest looked down the drive. A limousine was coming toward them.

"It can't be the Wyncopps," said Ernest. "Their car was old and black. This one is new and purple."

"Now who can I know who can afford a new car?" mused the earl.

The sumptuous equipage stopped, and a figure in an eye-stubbing checkered ulster surged out of it, and tramped toward them.

"Angels and ministers of grace, defend us!" exclaimed the earl. "That looks like Punder."

Punder it was.

CHAPTER XII.

"Hah!" said Punder. "Here I am."

"Howjerdo?" said the earl.

"Said I'd be back didn't I?"

"We've been counting the days," said the earl. "You remember my

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GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

kinman, the Bingley from America, don't you?"

"Hah! I've reason to," said Punder, and gave Ernest a look like a bite.

"May I ask if you are here on business or pleasure, Mr. Punder?" said the earl.

"Both."

"Won't you come in?"

It was a needless invitation, for Punder, unbidden, had already pushed his way across the castle's threshold.

In the library Mr. Punder took the most comfortable seat, and lit a corpuent cigar.

"Do you mind if Mr. Bingley stays?" asked the earl.

"I don't care who is here when I speak my piece," said Punder. "Invite in the whole country, if you want to."

"That's liberal of you, Mr. Punder," said the earl. "Your offer is declined with thanks. And now, Mr. Punder, what's on your mind?"

"I've come to take the castle," Punder said.

"I'll have it wrapped up immediately."

"Make a joke of it, if you like; but it's no joke as you'll soon find. Ask your solicitor."

"What will Mr. MacKintosh say?"

"He'll tell you I got the law on my side," stated Punder. "Those were demand notes you signed."

"Were they?"

Mr. Punder nodded.

"I seem to know more about your affairs than you do," he said.

"Shouldn't wonder," said the earl. "I don't seem to know how those notes concern you, Mr. Punder."

"Because they're mine, now," Punder said. "I bought 'em."

"The interest has been paid. That I do know," said the earl.

"Yes, back interest. But I did not come to collect interest. I want the principal. I'll trouble you for twenty thousand pounds, m'lad."

"No trouble at all, if I had it," said the earl. "But I haven't."

"I know that, too," said Punder. "I'm in an excessive awkward situation, aren't I?"

"Well, that's one thing you know," said Punder.

"I wonder if you also know what

I think of people like you," said the earl.

"I do," said Punder, "and I don't care a button what you think. And that goes for you, too," he added, darting a pickled glower at Ernest.

"What do you propose to do, Mr. Punder?" asked the earl. There was nothing care-free or casual about his manner now.

"You got just one guess."

"I'm no good at guessing games," said the earl. "Say your say and get it over with."

"One week from date I move in and you move out. In that plain English?"

"I never heard plainer," said the earl. "But, surely Mr. Punder, you don't intend really to shovel a man out of his home on such short notice."

"Hah! Don't I? Gave you fair warning, didn't I? Said I wanted this place and meant to have it. Nothing stops Punder."

"But, Mr. Punder, why must you have Bingley? There are heaps of castles knocking about you could pick up for a ditty. Some nearly as old and many far bigger and in better shape than this one. Take the Duke of Beddington's seat in Shropshire. He's anxious to sell it—"

"(To Be Continued)

Repetition Of History

Halle Selassie Stole Ethiopian Throne

By Murder And Intrigue

Among the many things I am not going to sit up nights and worry about, states Malcolm W. Bingley, in the Detroit Free Press, is the case of Halle Selassie—deposed ruler of Ethiopia—deposed by Mussolini. He's been over at Geneva insisting the nations of the world restore him to his throne as "King of Kings".

That Italy stole that country need not be denied. That, however, is the way all nations get colonies, including the United States when we helped ourselves to Texas, and, later, land for the Panama Canal.

But why—in the realistic world recently created by Premier Chamberlain—anybody should feel sorry for Halle is more than I know. He himself by murder and intrigue stole the throne of Ethiopia, and made the real heir a life prisoner. He hasn't any more moral claim to Ethiopia than has Mussolini.

Customer: "To what do you own your extraordinary success as a house-to-house salesman?"

Salesman: "To the first five words I utter when a woman opens the door—'Miss, is your mother in?'"

"Are you going to quit driving this year from the back seat?" indignantly asked Mr. Chuggins.

"Yes," replied his wife. "I'm going to sit in front with you, so that you can hear me better."

Fair Pianist: "That was 'The Death of Nelson'."

Victim: "I'm not surprised."

KING DISCUSSES PLANES WITH RECORD-BREAKING PILOT



King George recently flew to four different Royal Air Force Stations in one day on a tour of inspection and covered 200 miles. In the above picture His Majesty is being shown the intricate workings of the Hawker "Hurricane" fighter by Squadron Leader J. W. Gillan. It will be remembered that Squadron Leader Gillan recently astonished the world by flying one of these planes from Edinburgh to London, 385 miles, in an average speed of 408.75 miles an hour, or nearly seven miles a minute.



New Dental Method

Demonstrate How Lower Plates Can Be Kept In Place

Hailed as the outstanding clinical development at the convention, a simplified method of "harnessing" lower dental plates was shown by a Toronto dentist at the Ontario Dental Association meeting in Toronto.

Dr. Irvine H. Ante, member of the Dentistry Faculty at University of Toronto, demonstrated to nearly 300 delegates the method he had developed for great comfort and increased stability of lower plates. He described his discovery as a simplification of a method developed by two New Orleans dentists, Drs. Fournier and Tuller.

The Toronto dentist, using a living model, explained the method discovered by the New Orleans men "was really applicable to specialists only" and took from two to three hours. The revised method could be used by the general practitioner and took only 15 to 20 minutes.

Dr. Ante claimed that at least one-third of persons who used lower dental plates, until discovery of the Fournier-Tuller method, were caused aggravation because lower jaw muscles displaced the plates. Muscle movements under the Ante method were used to hold the denture firmly.

Have To Import Water

Bermuda Short Of Supply Owing To Lack Of Rain

Bermuda, according to reports from Hamilton, is suffering from a drought and is having to buy water from New York. The natives of Bermuda, like those on other coral islands, depend for their water reserves on rain, and when rain fails so does the supply of fresh water.

On the Virgin Islands every roof is equipped with its own cistern for draining off and conserving rain water, and in the hills are built triangular rainsheds designed to catch the water as it falls. Bermuda's arrangements are generally of the same kind. And they work very well so long as rainfall is reasonably consistent. But let there be a dry spell and one has to import water as if it were vintage wine.

Gentleman From Hawaii

Wears Flowing Robes Of Silk With Diamond Brooches

Wherever he went, from the moment he stepped off the boat that brought him from his Honolulu home, to his frequent excursions through the lobby of the Saint Francis, where he was stopping, all eyes turned in astonishment upon Ernest Parker, for this more than interesting gentleman does not elect to wear the clothes of Bond Street. Instead, he dons flowing robes of the choicest silks and embroideries, which are set off by enormous diamond brooches.

Of a tall and commanding figure, it was little wonder that this Hawaiian actor caused all conversation to cease shrilly whenever and wherever he appeared. San Francisco Argonaut.

Automatic traffic signals have one advantage over the old-fashioned cop-on-the-corner. They go right on functioning no matter how many swell blondes walk by. 2267

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Stony Plain and District.

Stony's Senior ball team played at Namao on Friday night, with the Namys team playing a return game here on Sunday next.

At the exhibition ball game on Sunday Arrow Busses played Stony's, the latter winning 7-6. Stony battery—Ed Enders and Otto Dreitz. Referee—Wm Stewart and Tony Dairmont.

Sunday's second game here, Holborn vs. Stony Intermediates, resulted in a win for the home team 12-4. Batters, Stewart and Dairmont.

The Hardwick Departmental Store and Comisarows have been shipping potatoes in carload lots to points in Saskatchewan.

Dr Webber, Dentist, will be at the Royal Cafe from 1 to 6 p.m. every Friday.

The committee which had charge of the recent track meet in Stony met in the town hall on Friday night last, when accounts were presented for settlement. A full account appears in another column.

BUTTER AND EGGS WANTED at The Royal Cafe.

Committees for Sports Day.

President—Geo. Oppertshauer Treasurer—W E H Lewis. Secretary—P Comisarow.

Sports—A E Michael, Mac Stewart, Fred Miller, W Irwin, Dr Oatway, Henry Trapp, D E Moyer.

Dance—Otto Dreitz, W Kelly, H Pailer.

Booth—S Comisarow, W Kelly, L Miller, Gus Barth.

Finance—F W Yeats, G J Bryan, W E H Lewis.

Field and Track Meet, May 24th.

The 2d annual track meet of Stony Plain and District Schools was held on Stony Plain Fair Grounds on May 24.

The Track Committee is very grateful to citizens of Stony Plain and District who so kindly gave their services and contributed financially in the matter of cups, medals, etc.

We also wish to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions R C Howat \$2, F W Yeats 93; A E Michael, individual cup; H Oppertshauer & Sons, \$3 donation; Royal Hotel, trophy to replace the Nadon cup.

A complete financial statement will appear in another edition of The Sun. Field Day results follow:

High School Coudition: S.P.Hi. 81 pts. S. G. Hi. 36 points.

2 room School Competition: Glory Hills 163 points; Golden Spike 136; S.P. Public 56; Blueberry 42.

1 room Schools: Warded 54 points, Rosenthal 30 Carvel 12, S.P. Centre 10.

The cups therefore go to S.P. Hi, Glory Hills and Warden.

Individual winners—Boys, Cliff Carmichael Gp. 4, S P. Hi, 85 p.c; Philip Adam Gp 2, Blueberry 75 p.c. Girls—1, Elsie Hennig Gp 4, Golden Spike, 83 p.c; 2, Margaret Hennig Gp 2, Golden Spike, 74 p.c

Spruce Grove News.

The secretary of the Ball Club has the membership cards for the month of June, for those who wish to keep enrolled.

Another gang was added this week to the Highway patrol for keeping the roadway in repair.

English Lutheran services will be held at Peace Church, Spruce Grove, on Pentecost Day, June 5th, at 7.30 p.m. Rev H Kuring pastor.

So many applications have been received for the ball tournament here June 7th that President Callihan will have some trouble keeping the number down to that agreed on.

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A FEW CANDID WORDS ABOUT BANK EARNINGS

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Half of one per cent. a year on total assets is not much of a profit margin for any business, corporate or individual.

Yet that is all the "velvet" there is in the business of Canada's chartered banks.

Banks pay interest on personal savings deposits. They charge interest on loans.

The difference is not all "velvet" by any means—for these reasons:

- (a) It costs money to operate a bank.
- (b) The cash reserves held by the bank earn nothing.
- (c) A bank must provide for losses.
- (d) Earnings on a great deal of a bank's assets are very low.

More than 15,000 people are employed in Canada's banks. In the last ten fiscal years Canada's chartered banks have paid in wages and salaries, some \$375,000,000—purchasing power distributed over the Dominion.

In the same ten years banks paid in taxes to municipalities \$40,831,930; to provinces \$14,429,320, and to the Dominion, \$24,027,324, a total of \$79,288,574.

Banks have other costs, too: Rent on premises; stationery and printing; light, water and fuel; contributions to pensions and group insurance for employees. Depreciation on buildings takes a large amount each year.

Any money a bank pays—taxes, wages or other costs—can come only from the bank's resources—and must be paid in cash. No magic can produce it.

Banking is not all sunshine. It has its cloudy aspects too. Banks must stand ready to pay their creditors—the depositors and note-holders—a hundred cents on the dollar; but banks unfortunately cannot always collect a hundred cents on the dollar. They have losses, inevitably, and must set aside substantial sums to meet them.

A bank must keep itself in such a cash position as to be able to pay you your deposit whenever you see fit to withdraw it.

Chartered banks are required by law to lodge with the Bank of Canada, or hold in Bank of Canada notes, five per cent. of their depositors' funds; but, in practice, they always carry about twice that percentage. Deposits with and notes of the Bank of Canada earn no interest for the chartered banks.

It is necessary also to keep a further amount in short term investments readily convertible into cash. The yield on such investments is low, firstly, because Treasury Bills and other short term securities mature at short date; secondly, because banks having no monopoly of money or credit—cash reserves of many industrial concerns compete for this type of investment.

Bank earnings depend very largely upon loans; but a bank can lend only when the customer wants to borrow.

Ordinary bank loans in 1929 averaged \$134,000,000; in 1937 only \$73,000,000.

When business falls off or prices slump, businessmen borrow less money. A given volume of business is handled on less money, too. It would take \$150,000 to handle 100,000 bushels when wheat is at \$1.50 per bushel, but only \$100,000 to handle the same volume when the price is \$1.00 a bushel.

When ordinary loans are not in demand, money, instead of lying idle in the banks, finds investment in Government bonds. These earn substantially less than ordinary loans.

Very obviously bankers would prefer commercial loans.

Money invested in Government bonds is, however, just as much a loan for the Government's purposes as a loan to a farmer is a loan for his purposes. In 1937 the average of bank loans and investments combined was \$2,158,000,000; in 1929, \$1,841,000,000.

Thus bank credit in Canada was actually greater in 1937 by \$317,000,000 than in the same period of 1929, the boom year.

As with credit, so with cash. As of October, 1937, over \$17,000,000 more in bank notes were in the hands of the public than in October of the boom year 1929.

A word with you about dividends.

The Bank Act fixes the par value of bank shares at \$100. The average price paid to banks by the shareholders when shares were issued was \$165 per share. Of this, \$100 has gone to Capital Account, and \$65 has been placed in Reserve.

Over many years undivided profits, now amounting to \$34 per share, have been left in the business by shareholders and added to reserve, for the greater security of depositors and note-holders.

The average shareholder's investment in Canada's chartered banks now, therefore, amounts to \$129 per share. A dividend of say 8 per cent. on the \$100 par-value is, in fact, only slightly over four per cent. on the money actually invested, or left with the bank by the shareholder.

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

Your local branch bank manager will be glad to talk banking with you. He will be glad to answer your questions from the standpoint of his own experience. The next article in this series will appear in this newspaper. Watch for it.

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The AL G. BARNES and SELLS FIOTO COMBINED CIRCUS with a program offering 1,000 new wonders will give an afternoon and evening performance at 2 and 8 P.M. in Edmonton Mo-day, June 6th.

Long a favorite thru this section the big show this season features on its lengthy program a number of star European turns new to America and making their debut under the whitest of aegis. A few of them are: The famous Riff-buff Troupe of riders supreme; the Yoo Kam Troupe from China in unbelievable feats; and lovely Janet May, the Pavlova of the swinging trapeze. Still other noted stars are Mabel Stark, world's only woman tiger and lion subjugator, performing in a triple steel barred amphitheater with 30 ferocious wild jungle beasts; Anna Merkel, in breathtaking aerial feat; the Olvera Brothers; Panneau, and innumerable others. Hundreds upon hundreds of noted acrobats combined with glorious colorful pageantry go into making the speedy 2 hour entertainment.

This season, too, the menagerie has been increased immensely. It now includes 500 furred and feathered creatures. This with 5 herds of elephants, an aerial ballet of 50 comely ladies, countless reckless equestrians, trapeze artists, contortionists of circus and the vast tent filled with educated, streamlined horses makes the AL G. Barnes and Sells Fioto Combined Circus a decidedly outstanding amusement buy.

Doors will open at 1 and 7 P.M. This permits leisurely inspection of the mammoth menagerie.

The Market Report

WHEAT	
No. 1 Northern	69
No. 2 Northern	66
No. 3 Northern	61
No. 4 Northern	51

WHEAT	
2 C. W.	30
3 C. W.	30
Extra 1 Feed	27
No. 1 Feed	25
No. 2 Feed	22

WHEAT	
No. 3	33
No. 4	32

Time Table for Mails.

Mails to East—By Train—6.23 p.m. Sun., Wed., Fri.
By Bus—11 a.m. Tues., Thurs., Saturday.
Mail from East by train—1.32 p.m. Sun., Tues., Thurs.
By Bus—4.55 p.m. Monday, Wed., Sat.

Wednesday Half-holiday.

Patrons of Stony Plain's business houses are reminded that during the months of May, June, July, and August, the business places in Stony Plain will close at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

FOR SALE: Wood, in pole length, 50c per load; take it away. Hurry! Jack Barrie, Edmonton Branch.

For Sale, 1000 Oat Bunches. Apply Jack Barrie, at Edmonton Branch.

For Sale—3 first class Purebred Turkey Bunches, under 1 year; wt 26 pounds; price \$3.00 each. See F Carmichael, Stony Plain.

For Sale—Grade B Indian Stallions, 3 years old or May 5th wt. over 1700. GEG SCHULDEMAN, Duffield.

Stony Plain's Sports Day
Friday, July the First.